

**Lewis, Tyrone**

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**From:** Lewis, Tyrone  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 03, 2015 2:56 PM  
**To:** 'Richard Silva'  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Notice of GAO Protest

Mr. Silva,

As I stated in my notice of GAO protest, you are instructed to contact GAO regarding protest matters. The protest remains pending and there is a stay because of the protest.

Thanks  
Tyrone

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**From:** Richard Silva [mailto:rsilva@coastalgrp.net]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 03, 2015 1:36 PM  
**To:** Lewis, Tyrone <Lewis.Tyrone@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]; [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Notice of GAO Protest

Mr. Lewis,  
Please update us on the status of this protest and award.

Regards,  
*Richard C. Silva Jr*  
President



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**From:** Lewis, Tyrone [mailto:[Lewis.Tyrone@epa.gov](mailto:Lewis.Tyrone@epa.gov)]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 21, 2015 3:33 PM

**To:** Richard Silva  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Notice of GAO Protest

Mr. Silva,

Attached is a copy of the protest filed by Lawson Environmental Services, LLC with the GAO. You are instructed to communicate directly with the GAO and provide copies of any such communication to the agency and to other participating parties when they become known.

Thank you  
Tyrone Lewis

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**From:** Richard Silva [<mailto:rsilva@coastalgrp.net>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 21, 2015 2:02 PM  
**To:** Lewis, Tyrone <[Lewis.Tyrone@epa.gov](mailto:Lewis.Tyrone@epa.gov)>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Notice of Protest of HUBZone Status

Mr. Lewis,  
Do you have an update on the protest? Was a GAO protest filed?

Regards,  
*Richard C. Silva Jr*  
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**From:** Lewis, Tyrone [<mailto:Lewis.Tyrone@epa.gov>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 14, 2015 3:46 PM  
**To:** Richard Silva  
**Subject:** Notice of Protest of HUBZone Status

Mr. Silva,

The purpose of this message is to notify you that a protest of HUBZone status in connection with contract award EP-S7-15-09 has been filed; a redacted copy of the protest is attached.

The protest was submitted to the Contracting Officer on October 6, 2015; however, I was out of the office. The protest was forwarded to SBA yesterday, October 13, 2015.

Performance under this contract is suspended until further notice from me as Contracting Officer. If the suspension is lifted at a later date and I notify you to resume contract performance, you will have three days from that notice to provide the required bonding.

Thank you,  
Tyrone Lewis, Contracting Officer